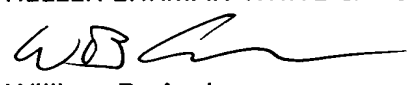


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Application Elements	Accompanying Application Papers
1. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Fee Transmittal Form	6. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Copy of assignment from prior application
2. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Specification containing <u>23</u> pages (including claims and Abstract), and <u>1</u> cover sheet.	7. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Copy of Small Entity Statement from parent application
a. Title: <b>LAYERED ENDOVASCULAR GRAFT</b>	8. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Preliminary Amendment
b. Number of claims: <u>6</u>	9. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Return Receipt Postcard
3. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <u>3</u> sheets of drawings with <u>8</u> Figures.	
4. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Copy of Declaration from parent application.	
5. <input type="checkbox"/> Sequence Listing	
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<input type="checkbox"/> Verified statement	
	<b>SIGNATURE OF ATTORNEY/AGENT</b>
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☒ This application is a continuation of allowed U.S. application Serial No. 09/200,317, filed November 25, 1998, which claims benefit of priority under 35 U.S.C. §119(e) to U.S. provisional application Serial No. 60/066,301, filed November 25, 1997.

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**FEE CALCULATION FOR CLAIMS AS AMENDED**

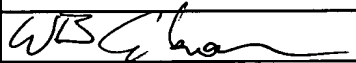
a)	Basic Fee		\$ 740.00
b)	Independent Claims $\frac{1}{5} - 3 = \frac{0}{0}$	x \$ 84.00	\$ 0.00
c)	Total Claims $\frac{5}{5} - 20 = \frac{0}{0}$	x \$ 18.00	\$ 0.00
d)	Fee for Multiple Dependent Claims -	\$280.00	\$ 0.00
<b>TOTAL FILING FEE</b>			<b>\$ 740.00</b>

[X] Status as Small Entity is claimed,  
reducing Fee by one-half to \$ 370.00

[X] A check in the amount of \$370.00 to cover the fee for filing the application.

[ ] Charge \$ .00 to Deposit Account No. 50-1213.

[X] The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees, including the filing fee and excess claims fee, that may be required in this application under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16-1.17 during its entire pendency, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-1213. If proper payment is not enclosed, such as a check in the wrong amount, unsigned, post-dated, otherwise improper or informal, or absent, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the unpaid amount to Deposit Account No. 50-1213 during the entire pendency of this application. This sheet is filed in duplicate.

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